

## **PROCLAMATION**

**WHEREAS**, nonprofit organizations help build and sustain healthy communities and enhance the quality of life for residents in our City, our County and throughout the country and the world; and

**WHEREAS**, there are approximately 4,000 nonprofit organizations based in Prince George's County that contribute significantly to a viable economy by providing jobs, goods and services; and

**WHEREAS**, nonprofit leaders are often entrepreneurs, creating new solutions to problems, and filling previously unmet needs in the areas of health, recreation, education, research, arts, social services, and more; and

**WHEREAS**, the nonprofit sector acts as a responsible steward of charitable dollars to achieve a diverse range of missions and goals; and

**WHEREAS**, nonprofit organizations often fulfill their missions by advocating on behalf of those who cannot advocate for themselves;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Emmett V. Jordan, by the authority vested in me by the citizens and City Council of Greenbelt do hereby proclaim October 19 to 24 to be

### **NONPROFIT AWARENESS WEEK 2015 In Greenbelt**

and encourage all our residents to recognize and support the nonprofit organizations in our City.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have  
hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal  
of the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, to be  
affixed this 19<sup>th</sup> day of October 2015.

EMMETT V. JORDAN, Mayor

ATTEST: Cindy Murray, City Clerk